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Duffie Family Records, 1908-1930, Guide

COLLECTION SUMMARY

Creator: Duffie Family

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Extent: 1 folder (4 items)

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Abstract: This collection contains elementary school diplomas for Harold and Arthur Duffie, as well as photographs of Harold Duffie during his time as a Massachusetts State Representative serving on the Committees on Civil Service and Military Affairs.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

This collection contains four items pertaining to Harold R. Duffie and Arthur R. Duffie. Two of the items are elementary school diplomas and the other two items are photographs. The diplomas are from Longfellow Elementary School in Boston and are for Harold R. Duffie and Arthur Duffie, dated June 11, 1908 and June 11, 1911 respectively. The photographs are of the members of the Committees on Civil Service and Military Affairs in the Massachusetts House of Representatives. Harold R. Duffie is included in the photographs for the Committee on Civil

Service for the years 1927-1928 as a clerk, and also in the photographs for the Committee on Military Affairs for the years 1929-1930 as chairman.

BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTE

Harold Richard Duffie was born in the West Roxbury section of Boston on October 18, 1894. He graduated from Longfellow Elementary School in June of 1908. Harold Duffie was an architect by trade, an officer in the military, and a politician and member of the Republican Party. As a Massachusetts State Representative, he represented West Roxbury and served from 1927-1928 including service on the Committee on Civil Service, and from 1929-1930 as the chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs.

Arthur Randall Duffie was born on July 2, 1896, also in West Roxbury. Arthur graduated from Longfellow Elementary School in 1911. He served as a Private First Class in the 101st Field Artillery Battalion in the Army during World War I and was killed in action in France on November 10, 1918.

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Arrangement

The four items in the collection are arranged in chronological order.

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Languages and Scripts

The collection is entirely in English.

Container List

Item Number	Description	Date
1	Harold R. Duffie, Elementary School Diploma	1908
2	Arthur R. Duffie, Elementary School Diploma	1911

3	Sheet of Photos of Massachusetts House Committee on Civil Service, including Harold R. Duffie	1927-28
4	Sheet of Photos of Massachusetts House Committee on Military Affairs, including Harold R. Duffie listed as Chairman	1929-30